

National Weather Service Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



Time Local/ Length Width Persons Damage

Location Date Standard (Miles) (Yards) Killed Injured Property Crops Character of Storm

ILLINOIS, Northeast

ILZ010>014 Lee - De Kalb - Kane - Du Page - Cook

05 1700CST 0 0 Heavy Snow

Snow fell across north central and northeast Illinois. Most of the area received 3 to 6 inches. The heaviest amounts were 8.2 inches at Midway Airport in Chicago, 7 inches at Winfield in DuPage County, 6 inches at Elburn and Elgin in Kane County and 6 inches at Compton and Dixon in Lee County.

ILZ003-006-008-010>014-019>023-032>033-039 Winnebago - Lake - Ogle - Lee - De Kalb - Kane - Du Page - Cook - La Salle - Kendall - Grundy - Will - Kankakee -

Livingston - Iroquois - Ford

08 1700CST 0 0 Heavy Snow

Heavy snow fell across most of north central and northeast Illinois. Snow began in the late afternoon and evening of the 8th and diminished to flurries during the morning of the 9th. Snowfall amounts were generally 5 to 8 inches. Snow amounts were a little less toward the Wisconsin border. Some of snowfall totals include 5.4 inches at Midway Airport Chicago, 6.7 inches O'Hare Airport Chicago, 6.4 inches at NWS Romeoville, 6.1 inches at Lake Villa in Lake County, 7.7 inches at Rockford Airport, 7.1 inches at Dixon in Lee County, 7.0 inches at DeKalb, 7.0 inches at Oregon in Ogle County, 8.0 inches at Morris in Grundy County, 8.2 inches at Bourbonnais in Kankakee County, 6.0 inches at Chatsworth in Livingston County and 7.3 inches at Watseka in Iroquois County. Strong east winds caused blowing and drifting of snow. There were many traffic accidents including a fatal accident near Mendota and another on the Tri-State Tollway near the Hinsdale Oasis. Many schools closed.

INDIANA, Northwest

08 1800EST 0 0 Heavy Snow

Heavy snow fell over northwest Indiana. Snow began in the late afternoon/early evening of the 8th and diminished to flurries during the morning of the 9th. Strong east wind caused some blowing and drifting of snow. Snowfall amounts were generally 5 to 8 inches. Some specific snow totals were 8.0 inches at Brook, 6.0 inches at Lake Village, 6.0 inches at Morocco, 7.4 inches at Remington, 8.0 inches at Rensselaer and 6.5 inches at Merrilleville.